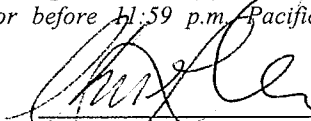


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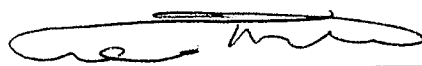
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In response to the Restriction Requirement of June 5, 2009, Applicant hereby elects Species C, namely claims 42-61, 64-75 and 77-80 without prejudice. Applicants reserve the right to pursue the non-elected (withdrawn) claims in a Divisional application.

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